

**REMARKS**

The following claims are pending in the application: 1 – 22

The following claims have been amended: Not applicable

The following claims have been deleted: 20 – 22

The following claims have been added: Not applicable

As a result of the foregoing Amendment, the following claims remain pending in the application: 1 – 19.

**Election/Restriction Requirement**

The Examiner requires restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

- I. Claims 1 – 19, drawn to an electronic junction, classified in class 257, subclass 40.
- II. Claims 20 – 22, drawn to a method of producing an electronic junction, classified in class 438, subclass 82.

Applicant elects to pursue the invention of group I, consisting of claims 1 – 19, drawn to an electronic junction. Applicant has cancelled claims 20 – 22 as being directed towards a non-elected invention with the understanding that the Applicant may pursue such claims through one or more divisional applications filed during the pendency of the present application.

**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing amendment and accompanying remarks, the Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is properly in condition for allowance and may be passed to issuance upon payment of the appropriate fees.

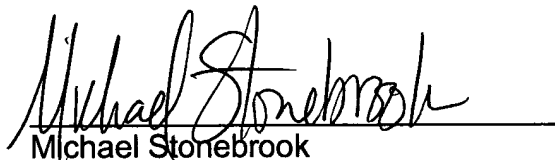
Telephone inquiry to the undersigned in order to clarify or otherwise expedite prosecution of the subject application is respectfully encouraged.

Respectfully submitted,

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